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SUBJ: WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

1. JAPANESE MISOFF HAS MADE FOLLOWING COMMENTS ON  
US DRAFT RES OF WFC: 1) REQUESTS THAT OPERATIVE PARA  
ONE WORD "MAINTAIN" BE REPLACED WITH "ENSURE" OR  
ALTERNATIVELY "ENSURE AND MAINTAIN". JAPANESE DEL  
ALSO QUERIED RE MEANING OF REFERENCES TO "NATURAL  
DISASTERS" IN SAME PARA. MISOFF ASSURED JAPANESE  
THAT USG'S INTENTION WAS NOT TO HAVE WFC FOCUS ONLY ON  
HUNGER RESULTING FROM NATURAL DISASTERS,BUT LARGE  
NUMBER OF FACTORS.

2. MR. YAMADA (JAPAN) SECOND COMITE RAPPORTEUR  
RESPONDED TO US MISOFF QUESTION RE GOJ SUPPORT  
FOR US RES THAT HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD SUPPORT  
THE RES AS LONG AS SIGNIFICANT AMENDMENTS ARE NOT MADE  
TO IT IN THE DIRECTION OF INVOLVING UNCTAD. HE SAID THAT  
HIS GOVERNMENT WAS FEARFUL THAT INTRODUCTION TRADE  
ISSUES INTO WFC WOULD UNDERCUT MULTILATERAL TRADE  
TALKS. JAPANESE WANT WFC TO CONCENTRATE ON PROBLEMS  
OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION.  
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